

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Title:	Remote function	§		
	Invocation with Messaging	§		
	in a Distributed Computing	§		
	Environment.	§		

**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

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Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the final rejection dated November 13, 2006.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee for filing this Notice of Appeal pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e) (large entity) of \$500.00 to Meyertons, Hood, Kivlin, Kowert & Goetzel, P.C. Deposit Account No. 501505/5181-57500/RCK.

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